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Commission on Aging Announces Appointment of Paul Downey

The California Commission on Aging (CCoA) is pleased to announce the appointment of one of San Diego's leaders in the aging service community to the CCoA membership.

Paul Downey of San Diego was appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly to his first term with the CCoA in August. Mr. Downey is the President/CEO of Senior Community Centers since 1995, a overseeing the non-profit organization providing meals, health and wellness services and housing for low-income seniors. He currently serves as elected President of the National Association of Nutrition and Aging Service Programs based in Washington, DC and as a Steering Committee Member for the California Elder Economic Standard Initiative. He is past chair of the City of San Diego's Senior Affairs Advisory Board and past chair of the Dean's Advisory Committee for the College of Health and Human Services at San Diego State University.



Paul Downey

The California Commission on Aging is a citizen's advisory body established by the Older Californians' Act to act as the principal advocate in the state on behalf of older adults. The CCoA's charge is to advise the Governor, Legislature, and state and federal agencies on issues of concern to California's aging population. Commissioners are appointed by the Governor, the Speaker of the Assembly and the Senate Rules Committee. Commissioners receive no compensation for their service.

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